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Clean Up Portland Harbor

Letter

Dr. Ms. McCarthy, The proposed cleanup of the Portland Harbor is a big win for industry and a bad deal for the public. EPA's cleanup proposal tackles just 8% of a site area that is 100% toxic. A more aggressive plan is needed to prevent even more harm to human health and the environment. On behalf of all people who rely on the river for food, recreation, employment and culture, I urge the EPA to implement a plan that: Moves quickly and sustainably reduces contaminants causing harm to Willamette and Columbia River resources. Includes ongoing monitoring and cleanup upriver and downriver from the site. Contributes to healthy fish that are safe to eat for all people. Holds polluters accountable for creating a safer Portland Harbor. These elements get us closer to the plan our communities deserve. And I deserve a clean, safe Portland Harbor. *Submitted during the comment period between June 9, 2016 to August 8, 2016 regarding the EPA's Portland Harbor Feasibility Study and Proposed Plan.

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Message (500 Character Limit) Dear Ms. McCarthy,

I agree with the sentiments of the pre-written

letter, but I also want to add my own personal note. I look at life from a bigger (higher) perspective than what simply affects "me" "now." What do I want this world to be like in the next 20, 50, 100 years? We are a really smart species and are able to think big and do good. I ask you to think big and do good by committing to scouring every last molecule of pollutants from the otherwise beautiful Willamette River at the Portland Harbor Superfund site. You and I may not live long enough to see pristine waters again, but we'll know we've done the right thing by getting the clean-up started and fully funded.

Think long-term. Think of others. Think big. Think creatively. Do good.

Respectfully

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